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Circuit Court—First Monday in February, June and October.
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Wednesday, Feb. 10, 1915.

RAILROADS AND PARCEL POST.

Former President W. H. Taft has the following to say relative to the railroads and the parcel post: "There is one thing connected with the parcel post that fought not to meet the approval of anybody, and that is, that we have not given the railroads appropriate compensation for the additional burden that they have to carry by reason of the parcel post, but after a time congress will see its duty and make reparation in this regard, I hope."

Just so long as congress delays rendering the proper compensation to the railroads for the service rendered, just that long will this great government stand in the attitude of a dishonest debtor because it has the power to pay and does not do so.

Every one dislikes a tyrant and it is no less tyrannical for the government to refuse or neglect to render justice than it would be for an individual. On the contrary, it is much worse because of the vast resources and unquestioned ability of the government to meet every just expense.

The remedy should come and at an early date.

COUNTY FAIR.

Last week we called attention to a county fair this year and referred to the splendid success the fair proved last year. There is one point that we feel should be strongly emphasized that we did not mention. That is to connect with the fair what might be known as Sale Day.

On that day let it be known that every person in the county is invited to bring anything he may have and offer it for sale. Let it not be confined to live stock, but let it go so far as to sell or swap farm machinery that you do not need. You are very likely to find some one who needs just the tool that you do not happen to need and he may have a tool that you need and that he has no particular use for. Let it go so far as for the ladies to bring their canned fruits, jellies, jams and butters and offer them for sale. Suppose you do not sell all of them, it will not be much trouble to take them home again.

Live stock will be offered as a matter of course. Some farmer may have some certain rough feed that he wishes to sell, why not look for a buyer on Sale Day at the county fair?

If you have something that you are especially anxious to sell on that day, a few lines in the county paper a week or two in advance of Sale Day would make it much more widely known that you would offer the particular article on Sale Day.

Such a scheme, if properly managed, would prove of great value to our farmers in making home sales and exchanges, and would very likely soon develop into a much wider field and result in persons from adjoining counties coming here to buy on that day and by that means add much to the interest and usefulness of the fair.

To say the least, the idea is worth considering.

SHIP PURCHASE.

The efforts of the administration to pass the ship purchase bill seem doomed to defeat, as should be the case.

For the government to attempt to buy ships at this time, when ocean freights are so high and all freight carrying vessels are reaping large profits, would mean one or both of two

SAVES DAUGHTER

Advice of Mother no Doubt Prevents Daughter's Untimely End.

Ready, Ky.—"I was not able to do anything for nearly six months," writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and was down in bed for three months. I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles.

Our family doctor told my husband he could not do me any good, and he had to give it up. We tried another doctor, but he did not help me.

At last, my mother advised me to take Cardui, the woman's tonic. I thought it was no use for I was nearly dead and nothing seemed to do me any good. But I took eleven bottles, and now I am able to do all of my work and my own washing.

I think Cardui is the best medicine in the world. My weight has increased, and I look the picture of health."

If you suffer from any of the ailments peculiar to women, get a bottle of Cardui today. Delay is dangerous. We know it will help you, for it has helped so many thousands of other weak women in the past 50 years.

At all druggists.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for special instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. N.C. 125

things: Either excessive prices would have to be paid for good ships, or old and obsolete vessels would have to be bought, both of which amount to the same thing in the end.

Owing to our more stringent maritime laws, the manner of living, treatment and wages of American seamen are all higher than foreign vessels pay. That places such a handicap in the way of American register of ships that owners prefer to fly a foreign flag, and only one way remains for the United States to overcome it. That is by subsidy. All the leading nations pay ship subsidies and if we would build up a merchant marine we must do the same.

No one pretends the government can profitably compete in the ocean freight trade. That being the case, loss is sure to follow and the deficit must be met out of the national treasury. That is another way of paying a subsidy and a very unsatisfactory one for no one can tell how much it will be.

The move is a bad one and should fail.

Many papers over the state are making sarcastic comments on the fact that Mayor Crump seems to have been forced, by the Ouster Law, to put the lid on good and tight at Memphis. Those criticisms and comments may be timely and pointed, but that is not the interesting feature of the situation to this paper.

The Chronicle is glad a law has at last been enacted that does close the saloons of the state and we shall loyally support Governor Rye in his efforts to enforce the law, if he makes any such effort. His first move in seeking to practically destroy the law, places him subject to suspicion.

Hold up his hands when he does right, urge him when he falters and condemn him when he neglects his duty or goes wrong. That is the clean and honest course.

The European war will prove a great education to the people of the United States in several ways:

While it renders travel abroad very difficult it will tend to lead thousands to see more of our own country and thereby to appreciate it as never before.

It will prove one of the strongest factors leading to the success of the two great expositions in California.

While it will give us a far better knowledge of Europeans than the average of us have had, it will tend to develop in this country industries that have long been considered impossible and thus broaden our field of general prosperity.

As a nation we have nothing to lose and much to gain. Strange as it may seem much of the gain will be forced upon us.

The whiskey forces never say "die." When they cannot combat a law any other way they will always attempt to have the law that troubles them enforced in such a way as to prove very distasteful to the public. There are always plenty of officers who are ready to join with them, either from real sentiment or for a price.

We may expect the Ouster law to meet with this handicap just as far as the whiskey forces or their sympathizers can bring it about. The thing for the public to do is to "sit steady in the boat" and lend all possible aid to the strict enforcement of the Ouster law and in a short time matters will settle

The Pass of Thermopylae

By HERBERT KAUFMAN

Author of "Do Something! Be Something!"

HERXES once led a million soldiers out of Persia in an effort to capture Greece, but his invasion failed utterly, because a Spartan captain had entrenched a hundred men in a narrow mountain pass, which controlled the road into Lacedaemon. The man who was first on the ground had the advantage.

Advertising is full of opportunities for men who are first on the ground.

There are hundreds of advertising passes waiting for some one to occupy them. The first man who realizes that his line will be helped by publicity, has a tremendous opportunity. He can gain an advantage over his competitors that they can never possess. Those who follow him must spend more money to equal his returns. They must not only invest as much, to get as much, but they must as well, spend an extra sum to counteract the influence that he has already established in the community.

Whatever men sell, whether it is actual merchandise or brain vibrations, can be more easily sold with the aid of advertising. Not one half of the businesses which should be exploited are appearing in the newspapers. Trade grows as reputation grows and advertising spreads reputation.

If you are engaged in a line which is waiting for an advertising pioneer, realize what a wonderful chance you have of being the first of your kind to appeal directly to the public. You stand a better chance of leadership than those who have handicapped their strength, by permitting you to get on the ground before they could outstrip you. You gain a prestige that those who follow you, must spend more money to counteract.

If your particular line is similar to some other trade or business which has already been introduced to the reading public, it's up to you to start in right now and join your competitors in contesting for the attention of the community. The longer you delay the more you decrease your chances of surviving. Every man who outstrips you is another opponent, who must be met and grappled with, for the right of way.

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Tailor Made Suits:

Owing to the low tariff, I can sell you a suit now for \$28 that cost \$45 last year. If you do not care to pay that much I can sell you a suit strictly

Made-to-Order for Only \$10.00

The suit will be made especially for you and guaranteed to fit. I have five lines of samples for you to select from. I also take orders for the famous

Edward Clapp Shoes and Oxfords for \$6.50.

Also the well known Florsheim shoe, which is one of the very best shoes made.

A. E. HORN.

down to a sane and reasonable basis, the law will be respected and the general public will feel the great good that comes from it.

Since the passage of the Ouster Bill, the social clubs and all "soft" drink stands have surrendered their federal liquor licenses. Awful, this thirst, isn't it, Zimmie?

This is a good time for most farmers to cut the wood that will be needed next Summer.

A TEST FOR LIVER COMPLAINT MENTALLY UNHAPPY—PHYSICALLY DULL.

The liver, sluggish and inactive, first shows itself in a mental state—unhappy and critical. Never is there joy in living, as when the stomach and liver are doing their work. Keep your liver active and healthy by using Dr. King's New Life Pills; they empty the bowels freely, tone up your stomach, cure your constipation and purify the blood. 25c at druggist. Bucklen's Arnica Salve excellent for piles. 1.

MILLSTONE.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Carter and children were visiting Mrs. Carter's sister, Mrs. Bettie Gallahar.

Harry Derrick was at Waldensia Sunday.

EP. M. Melvin made a business trip to Harriman Saturday.

As Barnes has gone to Catoosa, Jack Carter was in Millstone Sunday.

Mrs. Ellen Carter, who has been on the sick list, is some better.

Feb. 8. Two Red Roses.

PROMPT ACTION WILL STOP YOUR COUGH.

When you first catch a cold (often

indicated by a sneeze or cough), break it up at once. The idea that "it does not matter" often leads to serious complications. The remedy which immediately and easily penetrates the lining of the throat is the kind demanded. Dr. King's New Discovery soothes the irritation, loosens the phlegm. You feel better at once. "It seemed to reach the very spot of my cough" is one of many honest testimonials. 50c at your druggist. 1.

At least 25 per cent of the larch timber over large areas in eastern Oregon has been killed or weakened by mistletoe, and the forest service is taking steps to combat the pest.

Success has followed forest planting on the sandhills of Nebraska. Jack pines planted there by the government forest service ten years ago now have a height of over 15 feet and a diameter of 4 inches.

YOUR COLD IS DANGEROUS. BREAK IT UP—NOW.

A cold is readily catching. A run-down system is susceptible to germs. You owe it to yourself and to others of your household to fight the germs at once. Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey is fine for colds and coughs. It loosens the mucous, stops the cough and soothes the lungs. It's guaranteed. Only 25c at your druggist. 1.

MAY WITHDRAW.

Representatives of several foreign governments threaten to withdraw from Mexico on account of the attitude of General Villa, who recently assumed charge of Mexican affairs in the capital city.

YOU SHOULD BE A READER

For the Man Who Reads Is the Man Who Leads In Every Community

The man who reads is the man who leads. It is natural that this should be so. "The ancestor of every action is a thought," says Emerson, and the richness or poverty of a man's reading usually determines the richness or poverty of his thinking. The man who doesn't read gets his thoughts only from Tom, Dick, Harry and the others in a little narrow neighborhood right around him. The man who reads gets the thoughts of the foremost minds in his county, state, nation, and the world.

A people are not educated if they only know how to read; they must actually read.

If one goes to school weeks and months, year after year learning how to read, and then doesn't read, if he is then too short-sighted to pay a few cents a week for good papers and books—he is like a man who spends days and weeks breaking a piece of land, getting it in shape for planting, and then is too foolish or stingy to buy enough seed corn or cotton seed to plant it.

Learning how to read prepares the mind, cultivates it, makes it a fertile seed bed, but then a man must fill it with seed-thoughts. Books and papers furnish the seed corn for the mind. When a man says he is too poor to pay three cents a week for a paper for inspiration, help, intellectual food, seed-thoughts for his whole family, ask him if he ought not to spend as much for brain food as he spends for tobacco.

Make your neighborhood a reading neighborhood and you will make it a leading neighborhood. Join in a movement to teach all grown-up illiterates to read next year if you can, but in any case bestir yourself to get all who can read to read more. If they read papers that stand for progress they will eventually join with you in all the progressive movements you are interested in.—The Progressive Farmer.

SEVENTY SEVEN YEARS OLD.

George W. Clough, Prentiss, Miss., who had suffered greatly with kidney trouble, writes: "Foley Kidney Pills are the only remedy that ever did me any good at all." Just think of the relief and comfort that means to him. Foley Kidney Pills are recommended for sleep disturbing bladder troubles, pain in sides or back, rheumatism, and kidney and bladder ailments. For sale by Reed & Burnett.

ERASMUS.

Mrs. Minnie Reece and children visited at Mrs. Josie Bryant's at Clifty.

Miss Effie Norris was the guest of Miss Zena Hyder Sunday.

H. T. Tucker made a trip to Clifty Saturday.

Rev. Todd failed to fill his regular appointment here Sunday.

Miss Cora Tucker spent Saturday and Sunday with homefolks.

Mrs. Queenie Tucker and little son Everett visited Mrs. Tucker's mother, Mrs. Lizzie Warner, near Burgess Sunday.

Mrs. Mattie Lewis is quite sick at this writing.

Feb. 8. Rambling Rose.

If a better cough syrup than Foley's Honey and Tar Compound could be found, we would carry it. We know this reliable and dependable medicine has given satisfaction for more than forty years; therefore we never offer a substitute for the genuine. Recommended for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, bronchial and laryngeal, coughs. No opiates. Reed & Burnett.

It is estimated that the government's Grand Canyon game refuge, in Arizona, now contains about ten thousand deer.

Southern Railway

Premier carrier of the South.

Low Round Trip Fairs to Tampa, Fla. and Return, Mobile, Ala. and Return, Pensacola, Fla. and Return, N. Orleans, La. and Return.

Tickets on sale February 9 to 15 inclusive. Limited to return February 26, 1915. The limit may be extended to March 15, 1915, on payment of one dollar

For further information apply to ticket agents or R. W. HUNT, D. P. A., First National Bank Building, Nashville, Tenn., or J. L. MEEK, A. G. P. A., Chattanooga, Tenn.